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FOR: CLIP STRUCTURE FOR SUPPORTING ORNAMENTAL ITEMS ON A PEW
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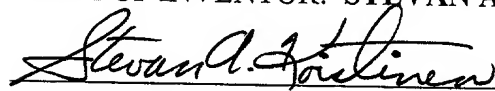
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